

# Unity. Liberty. Love. Serve.



Three Temptations (Cara B. Hochhalter)

# THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

FEBRUARY 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2023



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We welcome all members and guests to our service today, and we are glad that you have joined us for worship at Calvary!

#### SERVING IN WORSHIP

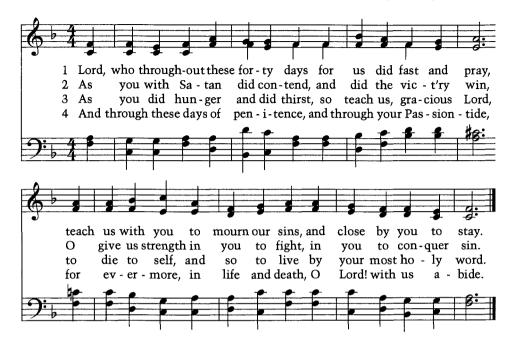
The Rev. Chaz Snider, Pastor
The Rev. Madi White, Pastor
Amanda Schumpert, Director of Music
Mary Louise Kapp Peeples, Organist
Johnnie Pearson, Lay Reader
Brian Lott, Band Director
The Calvary Band
The Calvary Chancel Choir
Makenna Gibson & Hannah Price, Nursery Attendants
Mike McCollum, Susan McCollum, & Chese Trivette, Ushers

Nursery is available for all children infant through Pre-K.

There is no Godly Play this morning. However, we encourage all children here today to use the New to the Pew bags found up front filled with fun activities to help them in worship. All children are welcome!

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## Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days 341



5 Abide with us, that through this life of doubts and hope and pain, an Easter of unending joy we may at last attain!

TEXT: Claudia F. Hernaman (1873), alt. TUNE: Abridged from John Daye's Psalter (1562) C.M. ST. FLAVIAN

#### **GATHERING IN UNITY**

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK (PSALM 32:11)

Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, O righteous, and shout for joy, all you upright in heart.

**BAND PRELUDE** 

**TRINITY CHIME** 

**ORGAN PRELUDE** O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High — John Dunstable

**W**ELCOME

#### **PROCLAIMING GOD'S LOVE**

**HYMN #341** Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days — St. Flavian

LITURGY FOR LENT

Singing from the Heart

Lord God, our Father in heaven, you have shown your great love toward us by sending your Son into the world to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins.

We give you thanks because you have made us worthy to share in the inheritance of the saints in light, having rescued us from the power of darkness, and brought us into the kingdom of your beloved Son.

Lord God, Son, the Savior of the world, though you were in the form of God, you did not consider equality with God something to cling to, but emptied yourself, taking the form of a servant, being born in human likeness. You humbled yourself and became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

We give you thanks because you, our merciful and faithful High Priest, have made reconciliation for the sins of the people. You were despised and rejected, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. You were wounded for our transgressions; you were bruised for our iniquities; upon you fell the punishment that made us whole; and by your wounds we are healed.

Lord God, Holy Spirit, one with the Father and the Son, you fill our hearts with the love of God and make our bodies your holy temple.

We give you thanks because you descended upon the Christ, anointing him to bring good news to the poor; to heal the brokenhearted; to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind; to set free those who are oppressed; and to proclaim the time of the Lord's favor.

LA TROBE

Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
One in Three, and Three in One,
as by the celestial host,
let your will on earth be done;
praise by all to you be given,
glorious Lord of earth and heav'n.

From all self-righteousness,
From ingratitude and selfishness,
From lukewarmness,
From all indifference to your meritorious life and death,
Deliver us, gracious Lord and God.

Passion Chorale

What language shall I borrow to thank you, dearest Friend, for all your dying sorrow, your mercy without end?

Grant me to lean unshaken upon your faithfulness till I from earth am taken to see you face to face.

By your holy incarnation and birth,

By your early exile,

By your pure and blameless childhood,

By your willing obedience,

By your humility, meekness, and patience,

By your faithfulness in your earthly calling,

By your fasting and temptation,

By your perfect life before God and humanity,

Bless and comfort us, gracious Lord and God.

By your tears and agony, your crown of thorns and cross, Lead us to repentance for our sins. By your willing sacrifice of yourself even unto death, Make known to us the mystery of your love.

Into your open arms stretched out upon the cross,

Receive us all.

By all your sacred wounds and precious blood, By your innocent suffering and dying, By your rest in the grave, By your glorious resurrection and ascension,

Bless us and save us, Christ Jesus, our Redeemer.

Fulfill in us your prayer that all who love you may be one, as you are in the Father, and the Father in you.

Hear us and help us, gracious Savior.

You have made God known to us as Father, so that the love with which he has loved you may be in us,

And you in us.

Christ, and him crucified,

Remain our confession of faith.

COVENANT

Lamb of God, you shall remain forever of our songs the only theme; for your boundless love, your grace and favor, we will praise your saving name; that for our transgressions you were wounded, shall by us in nobler strains be sounded, when we, perfected in love, once shall join the church above.

OFFERTORY

In The Cross of Christ I Glory — WALKER

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

#### THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

EPISTLE: ROMANS 5:12-19(Pg. 980) GOSPEL: MATTHEW 4:1-11 (Pg. 837)

The Word of God for the People of God Thanks be to God.

#### THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

In the Moravian Church, we exercise an open communion, meaning all who confess Christ as Lord are welcome at His table.

#### **COMMUNION FOR ATONEMENT**

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**TRINITY CHIME** 

**CONVENING OF WINTER CHURCH COUNCIL** 

#### REMEMBER CALVARY MEMBERS IN PRAYER

Eddie Johnson; Camilla Williams; Bernard Williams; Carloyn Perry; Logan Shaw; John Polychron; Hubert Poindexter; Larry Linville; Patricia Poindexter Garr; Earline Pryor; Ramona Burke; Jan Trivette; Mary Hampton; Joel C. Lineback; Wesley Davis; Jane Sofley; Mike Hattaway; Terry Gordon; Misty Hayes and family; Ursula Pierce; Dallas & Ramona Prestwood; Laura Aaron; Ron & Sherry Griggs; Linda Neighbors; Jean Watson; Joann Settle

#### REMEMBER FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN PRAYER

Dr. Tad Lowdermilk; Will Streicker; Hailey Domian

# Winter Church Council February 26th, 2023

Call to Order

Prayer

Approval of Minutes

Presentation of 2022 Reports

- Joint Board & Elders Rev. Chaz Snider, Pastor
- Transition Update Elaine Peddycord, Vice Chair of Elders
- Trustees & Financial Report Matt Nance, Trustee Representative

Adjournment

#### THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

#### **PIE-MAKING PART 2!**

Please join us TODAY after Church Council to stuff all our pie crusts full of tasty chicken and box them up for sale! It's all hands on deck: Men, women, and kids of all ages (childcare is available, but big kids are welcome to help). If you didn't bring a lunch, it's okay — we have PBJ on hand. Please come help us keep a beloved food tradition alive. We'll teach you everything you need to know! If you pre-ordered a pie, we'll send out an email this week to let you know how, where, and when to pick up and pay for your pies.

#### THE NEXT BREAKFAST BUNCH

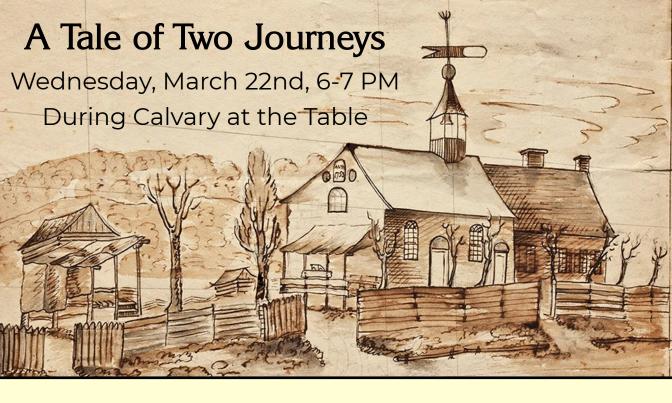
March 7th, 9 AM at Carriage House. Please contact Pat George (336) 971-3429 or Linda Seippel (336) 406-1747 to RSVP.

#### CALVARY'S DAY OF PRAYER, MARCH 15TH

The Women's Fellowship of Calvary Moravian invite you to our Day of Prayer service at 11am on Wednesday, March 15. The Reverend Madi White will speak with special music by Mary Louise Kapp Peeples and Mark Biggam. Reception prior at 10am in Fellowship Hall.

#### A TALE OF TWO JOURNEYS

At the March 22nd Calvary at the Table, we will host "A Tale of Two Journeys", a presentation about two fascinating 500-mile walks, 255 years apart. Presented by Katherine Knapp Watts, Vice President for Strategic Initiatives at Salem Academy and College as well as Martha Manning and Virginia Hart, Salem Academy alumnae and members of the 250th Journey History Committee. You will learn about the incredible 1766 migration from Bethlehem to Bethabara, taken on foot and wagons through the backwoods by eighteen sisters and older girls and only two men. And just as remarkable, you'll hear about the month-long, 500-mile reenactment of that journey, taken entirely on foot in the fall of 2021, which was one of the premier events celebrating the year-long 250th Anniversary of Salem's founding in 1772, and underscoring the core value Moravians placed on educating women and girls.



# Save the Date!



# 130th Anniversary Lovefeast

Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>
11 AM Worship



When: June 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>

Where: Higgins Lodge at Laurel Ridge

## Cost:

The cost to participants is for room(s) only.

Calvary will cover the cost of food.

If cost is a challenge, please contact Amanda Schumpert.

# **Room Options:**

Salem Wing rooms are \$100/night, or, if families or groups need more space, adjoining rooms in the Bishop's Wing with a connecting bath are \$140/night (but no AC!)

A schedule for the weekend can be found on the back of this page.

# Retreat Schedule

### Friday, June 2nd

Starting at 4 PM

Check-in

6:30 PM

Dinner

7:30 PM

Fellowship & Evening Activities

Saturday, June 3rd

8-9 AM

Breakfast

9-12 PM

Adult Programming with Pastor Lane Sapp Youth & Children Activities with Mstaff

12 PM

Lunch

1-5 PM

Free Time & Activities

**6 PM** 

Dinner

**8 PM** 

Fellowship & Campire

Sunday, June 4th

8-9 AM

Breakfast

10-11 AM

Worship & Holy Communion

# Save the Date

March 5<sup>th</sup>, 11 AM: Guest Pastor Neil Routh

March 15<sup>th</sup>: Calvary's Day of Prayer 10 AM Reception 11 AM Worship

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 11 AM:** Palm Sunday Worship and Flowering of the Cross

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>, 7 PM:** Holy Week Reading Services

**April 6<sup>th</sup>, 7 PM:** Maundy Thursday Communion Worship

April 7th:

2:15 PM Good Friday Crucifixion Service 7 PM Lovefeast

April 9th, 11 AM: Easter Worship

**April 16<sup>th</sup>, 11 AM:** Guest Pastor Madi White

April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 11 AM: 130th Anniversary

**June 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>:** Church-wide Retreat at Laurel Ridge

## Sunday Mornings at Calvary Moravian

9am Handbell Choir Rehearsal

9:45am Nursery for children infant through Pre-K

Adult Sunday School Class Offerings

New Life Adult Class

1st floor, Room 120

Friendship Adult Class

1st floor, Burke Conference Room

9:45-10:15am Family Chime-Time

3rd floor handbell room

10:15am Youth (6th-12th grades)

3rd floor youth room

Early Elementary (Kindergarten through 2nd grade)

2nd floor Children's Wing

Elementary (3rd through 5th grade)

2nd floor Children's Wing

llam Worship

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#### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 8 AM-4 PM Lunch Hour: 12:30-1:30 PM Closed on Fridays (336) 722-3703

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